



Atty. Dkt. No. 065691-0464

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Luc TERRAGNO *et al.*

Title: METHOD FOR MAKING A  
LIQUID CONCENTRATE OF  
FOOD-GRADE ACCLIMATED  
AND VIABLE BACTERIA

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.115**

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Sir:

Prior to examination of the present Application, Applicants respectfully request that the application be amended as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this document.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this document.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: